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Harry Teague works for the people.

Politics is something I read about or hear, but usually don't get involved in. There has been such a disclosure of dishonesty from national level to state level. When our elected official takes a stand, bucks his own party and fights for seniors and the unborn, we should give him a standing ovation. That official is Congressman Harry Teague. He fought for what the majority of the residents in New Mexico wanted; he voted his conscience, not what his peers in Congress wanted and pressured him to do.

Congress isn't the only place that Harry Teague works for the people. He didn't know me but he was advised that I had a problem with Medicare. He had his office contact me and start the necessary paperwork. He had my problem resolved and finalized in less than two weeks.

I contacted his office with another issue with a federal office. Within 24 hours the problem was resolved.

Congressman Teague is co-sponsor of a bill that would reverse major cut backs with oxygen therapy and would prevent any additional cuts. He is fighting for seniors and anyone that has the need for ongoing oxygen therapy.

The way politics seems to work is, "I helped you now it's your turn to help me." I asked Congressman Teague what I needed to do to repay him. He gave me the greatest response of all.

He told me "nothing".

He said that all he wanted was that if I know of anyone else having a problem give them his phone number so he

could help them. He told me that was what he was elected to do, take care of the people.

Congressman Teague has my support and I urge each of you to also support him. ' We need an honest and caring congressman on our side.

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